PUT FLOWERS ON GREAT MAN'S TOMB

Alexandria Patriots Journey to Mt. Vernon to Place Wreath on Washington's Grave.

EXHIBIT OLD FIRE ENGINE

Apparatus Given to Department by Washington Is Shown With Pride.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
ALEXANDRIA, V.A., February 22.—
With patriotic church services, in the church where Washington worshiped, band concerts and banquets, the last named being the order of the day, Alexandria to-day, in a most befitting manner, celebrated the one hundred and seventy-fifth anniversary of the birth of George Washington. During the day hundreds of citizens were present and participated in the exercises, and viewed the points of historic interest, especially places with which Washington was so fittimately connected.

nected.

The historic old Friendship engine, a gift of Washington to that company,

The historic old Friendship engine, a gift of Washington to that company, of which he was a member, was on exhibition the entire day in front of line company's house. The old engine was viewed by many visitors.

The exercises of the day were opened at 11 o'clock, when the members of the executive committee of the George Washington Birthday Association went to Mount Vernon by the electric cars, and placed a beautiful memorial wreath on the tomb of Washington.

At Christ Protestant Episcopal Church at 11 o'clock exercises of a patriotic character were held under the auspices of Mount Vernon Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, of this city. Bishop Gibson, of Richmond, Va., delivered an appropriate sermon. Among those who participated in the exercises were the Daughters of the American Revolution, from Washington. At the conclusion of the exercises a collection was taken up for the restoration of historic old Pohick Church, near Mount Vernon. This old edite has been restored to its former Colonial condition through the efforts of the local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The Naval Gun Factory Band, numbering thirty pieces, under the direction of Professor Jacob G. Moody, of Washington, gave a band concert at the intersection of Washington and Cameron Streets, in front of old Christ Church, at 1 o'clock this afternoon. The affair was very successful, and was larger attended.

Banquet Chief Feature

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The George Washington Birthday Association held its banquet, which was the chief event of the afternoon exercises, at 2 o'clock at McBurney's Hall. The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion, and an elaborate menu was served. During the progress of the banquet an orchestra discoursed music.

sic.

At the conclusion of the banquet the assemblage was called to order by Mr. A. D. Brockett, president of the association, who acted as toastmaster.

The following toasts were responded to: "George (Washington," Rev. Charles D. Bulla, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, of this city; "The Neighboring Counties," Judge Charles E. Nicol, judge of the Circuit Court for this district; "Alexandria," Mr. Charles C. Carlin, of this city; "Virginia," Judge R. Y. W. Duke, Jr., of Charlottesville.

Fully two lundred sat down to the banquet, and the affair was pronounced one of the finest ever held before in this one of the finest ever held before in this

Masons Also Banquet. *

Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons, of which organization Wash-ington was a member, in accordance with its annual custom, gave to-night a big banquet at its temple, which was largely attended by prominent members of the Masonic fraternity from different sections of the coun-

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ing touch him, and only a light dress is all he could wear. I can't begin to speak in words the suffering the poor child had to endure. I called one of our best doors to treat him, and he said he had the cuban lich, and his treatment did not do an lich, and his door lich and his and



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decorated, and the affair was a huge success.

Tonsts were responded to as follows: "Alexandria-Washington Lodge, No. 22." Right Worshipful Dr. W. M. Smith, of this city; "George Washington," Representative Charles Towne, of New York: "Liberty Lodge, of Beverley, Mass.," Eugene J. V. Hulginn, of Beverley, Mass.," Eugene J. V. Hulginn, of Beverley, Mass.," Most Worshipful Judge R. T. W. Duke, of Charlottesville, Va.; "The Old Dominton," Representative Harry D. Flood, of Roanoke, Va.; "Andrew Jackson Lodge," Mr. J. Johnson Green, of this city; "The Tenets of Free Masonry," Most Worshipful Kosclusko Kemper, of this city, "The members of the Columbia Steam Fire Engine Company also celebrated the day by giving a banquet at their house to-night, which was attended by a large gathering of the members of the company, together with a number of prominent fire officials and other city officials.

WASHINGTON SOCIETY.

Organization Named for First President Has Celebration.

[Special to the Times-Dispatch.]
LEMINGTON, VA., February 22,—
Washington's Birthday was observed in
Lexington to-day by the suspension of
duties at the Virginia Military Institute,
Washington and Lee University and the
public schools, the closing of the banks,
and the observance of holiday hours at
the rost-office.

and the observance of holiday hours at the post-office.

To-night, in the university chapel, the Washington Literary Society held its ninety-fifth annual celebration. A large and appreciative audience was present. Music for the occasion was furnished by the Virginia Military Institute orchestra. The speeches were of unusual excellence, both as to subject matter and manner of delivery.

delivery.

The officers of the celebration were The officers of the celebration were Grey Moore, president: W. J. Turnbull, vice-president: F. M. Durrance, secretary; H. Mann Page, chief marshal. The orators, with their subjects, were H. H. Ragon, "The Motive and Misslow of the American Wealth-Producer"; R. F. Berry, "Culture."

The subject debated was: "Resolved That Cuba should be immediately annexed to the United States." The affirmative debaters were R. H. Crews and O. W. Richardson; negative, Raymond Kenny and C. T. Randolph.

College Honors Washington.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WILLIAMSBURG, VA., February 22.—
The birthday of George Washington was observed at William and Mary College to-day, Lectures were suspended and work of all kinds stopped as a tribute of affection and respect to the "Father of his Country." of his Country,'

TO HAVE EXHIBIT.

Washington and Lee University

Washington and Lee University
Will Have Part in Exposition.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
LEXINGTON, VA., February 22.—
Washington and Lee University is arranging for an exhibit at the Jamestown Exposition. A number of pictures of the institution, including a large oil painting, giving a bird's-oye view of the university buildings, will be placed in the educational building; a collection of views of the surrounding country, including the Natural Bridge, in order to give a conception of the country' in which the institution is situated.

Mr. J. L. McCown, photographer, a few days ago took a photograph of the first plece of artillery fired in the Valley of Virginia during the Civil War, and by the gun stood the man who fired the shot. The gun is a four-pounder, and the gunner was Captain David 2. Moore, Commonwealth's attorney for Reckbridge. The shot was fired at Hainesville, July 2, 1861. General Stonewall Jackson was nearby. The picture was taken to be used by E. A. Moore in Illustrating his forthcoming book, "The Story of Cannoneer With Stonswall Jackson."

TAZEWELL EXHIBIT.

Citizens Form Prominent Organi-

Zation.'

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

TAZEWELL, VA., February 32.—A meeting of the cilizens of the community, held this afternoon to consider the question of the exhibits at the Jamestown Exposition, was addressed by A. Schubert, industrial agent of the agricultural department of the Norfolk and Western Rallway, and others. A permanent organization was affected by the appointment of H. S. Bowen president; D. M. Coshy, secretary, with authority to appoint the committees in cach magisterial district of the county. The Board of Supervisors will be asked for an appropriation. A general meeting of the committees was called for March 9th. Burks Garden has already appropriated 14,000 for the purpose of exhibiting the products of that rich section at Jamestown. Tazewell county will be represented in full force, zation.

GREED AND LUST FIRST ENEMIES

Princeton Addresses Virginia

Celebration of Birthday Anniversary.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., February 22.—The anniversary of the birth of Washington was observed at the University of Virginia this afternoon by the suspension of lecture, and by an address by ex-President Patton, of Princeton, on "Obligatory Morality." The greatest enemies of true morality, said the speaker, are confessedly gread and lust. One virtue of business ethics is occasional benevolence coming late when there is much to give, but there is sometimes a suspicion that the individual Peter has been robbed to pay the incorporated Paul.

Dr. Patton took a shot at things social, but defended them to the extent of saying that individuals are probably no worse now than in the old days, but only better known. The newspapers entertain us every day by disclosures much more frank than characterized a generation ago, and the novelists please us, too, by balancing their characters on ethical tight ropes, keeping us in suspense as to whether they will fall on this side or that. Perhaps we get more enjoyment out of a fall on the wrong side of the rope. We meet and talk about the most interesting moral happenings; women speak of "the interesting situation" at table with unfluctuating color. We don't seem to realize that we are laying the reins on the neck of scandal and riding inevitably to a runaway, an upset and wreck of reputation.

OBSERVES THE DAY. Fredericksburg Takes Delight in

Fredericksburg, Takes Delight in Honoring Washington.

(Special to The Imes-Dispatch.)

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., February 22.—Washington's birthday was observed here by the closing of the banks, the keeping of Sunday hours at the post. The very special to the Takes of Dispatch in the Color of Masonic celebration by the Pi Lambda Sigma and Philodaphnic Litterary Societies of Fredericksburg College in college hall. At the college muscal numbers were rendered by Misses Ittle May Fulton, Lucile Hassell, Bessle Belle Gammon, Katherine Dabney; recitation by Miss Alleen Poole, and there was a debate—"Resolved, That the Federal government has a right to make a treaty extending to the Japanese residents in the United States every educational advantage and privilege enjoyed by American citizens." Affirmative, P. R. H. Washburn; H. R. Rosebro; negative, George Chancy and E. E. DeVault.

The members of Masonic Lodge, No. 4, of this city, celebrated to-night with an elaborate program, consisting of addresses on "Washington as a Patriot and Masonic Lodge of Masons in Virginia, and beautiful vocal solos by Miss Mattle Quinn, Mrs. A. P. Rowe, Miss

Following the program a banquet was served. Many ladies were present among the guests, each member of the lodge being entitled to invite one. This annual the guests, each member of the logs being entitled to invite one. This annual celebration by this lodge is of more than ordinary interest, as the lodge is not only one of the oldest in the country, but it has the distinguished honor of having made George Washington a Mason. It still has in its possession the records showing when he was initiated and the Bible upon which he was obligated. Here are the dates: The lodge was organized September 1, 1752, 155 years ago; chartered by the Grand Lodge of Scotland, July 21, 1758, and by the Grand Lodge of Virginia, January 30, 1787; Washington was initiated an entered apprentice November 4, 1752; passed a follow-craft, March 3, 1753; raised a Master Mason, August 4, 1753, and remained a member of this lodge until his death.

Patriotic Sons Celebrate. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] LYNCHBURG, VA., February 22.—A very interesting entertainment of the Patriotic Sons of America was given to-night at No. 818 Maig Street. The principal speaker was Don P. Halsey, ex-Congressman of Sixth District, entitled "Washington and Lee."

NEWS OF GREENE.

Negro's Love for Chickens Gets Him Into Serious Trouble.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
STANARDSVILLE, GREENE CO.,
VA., February 22.—The regular term of
the Circuit Court of this county convened Monday with Judge John M.
White of Charlottesville, presiding. The
most important cases on the docket
were:

most important cases on the docket were: Scott Faulconer, colored, for breaking into a henhouse and stealing chickens. into a henhouse and stealing chickens. He plead guilty and threw himself upon the mercy of the court, who fined him \$50 and sentenced him to thirty days In jall.
Monroe Geer, allas Peyton, tried for

in jall.

Monroe Geer, allas Peyton, tried for cutting, on December 22d, 1806, Thomas, Ben and Willie Morris, who lived in the Blue Ridge Mountains. He was sent to State's prison for two years.

John Breeden, who was under indictment for burning the barn and contents, together with a horse, belonging to C. L. Jarrell, near Lamb, in this county. He was convicted and sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary.

The declination, as a candidate for county treasurer of Dr. E. W. Sims has been a great surprise to the people of this county. He has been a most efficient officer for more than twelve years. The people are loathe to give him up, but his very large practice, coupled with the duties of the said office, were more than he feels competent to compass. There are three candidates already announced for the position—J. L. Deune, of Quinque; E. M. Gibson, of this place, and Hooker McMullan, or McKullan, There are still others to follow.

DESERTER TOOK

Former President Patton of One of Men Confined in Petersburg Jail Tells Story of

WASHINGTON'S OLD LODGE SECRETARY OF NEW CHAMBER

Fredericksburg Has Appropriate Mr. Edwin L. Quarles, of Richmond, Wins Out Over All Petersburgers.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
PETERSBURG, VA., February 22.—
The problem of how Pitt, Rivenback and Gregory secured the steel saws with which they filed away one of the tron bars to their cell window, and escaped from the Petersburg jall last Wednesday morning, has been explained by Gregory, who told Chief of Police Ragland on the return from Norfolk last night that the instruments were brought into the jall by a man who had surrendered himself to the Petersburg police as a deserter from the army. Gregory gave the name of this accomplice, but this is withheld by the police at present for obvious reasons. As mentioned in this correspondence yesterday, the so-called descrier, who was afterwards released from custody on information that he was not wanted, has been strongly suspected as the probable means by which the escaped prisoners secured the saws. This sharp and faithful pat carried the files between the soles of his shoes. The men declare that neither Emmett Poarch, who was taken to the penitentiary only two days before their escape, nor Diek Taylor, another cell-Emmett Poarch, who was taken to the penitentlary only two days before their escape, nor Dick Taylor, another cellmate, had any knowledge of their plan, Taylor being asleep when they made their preparations. Suter, however, who was imprisoned with Gregory for the same offense, seems to have been fully aware of the proposed break for liberty, and failed to attempt the perilous climb across the improvised bridge from the cell window to the top of the jail-yard wall, because of sickness. The men say that they escaped about a quarter past 2 o'clock Wednesday morning. They will probably receive from three to twelve months additions to their terms for jail-hreaking.

Buggy Smashed, But Horse of Mr.

Crowder Unhurt.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

AMELIA, VA. February 22.—Mr.

Chales Crowder, son of Mr.

P. B. Crowder, who was for many years

treasurer of this county, while putting
a buggy in the house late yesterday
evening fell, in some way, and broke
his leg just above the ankle. No one
saw the accident, and it was not known
till he dragged himself into the dwelling. Dr. George Eggleston is attending the injured man. The family have
the sympathy of the neighborhood.

Mrs. Herman T. Reams, who has been
very sick for the past ten days, died
yesterday.

A colored man, from near firmities.

very sick for the past ten days, died yesterday.

A colored man, from near Truxillo, was driving here in a buggy, when, at the Courthouse Branch, near Otterburn Springs' gate, his hat blew off. When he got out of the buggy to get it the horse became frightened and ran off up the steep hill some three-fourths of a mise and into the village, turning the corner of the Courthouse Square, and a little later running between a big oak tree and the fonce, where the buggy was smashed and left wedged in. The horse was afterwards caught uninjured.

A new mining company will be organized here to operate on the lands of W. H. Farley. The parties arrived yestorday and started to work to-day mining for mica.

POCAHONTAS LOYAL,

Judge Adjourns Court and the Masons Have Celebration.

Masons Have Celebration.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

TAZEWIELL, VA., February 22.—

Judge Henson adjourned court to-day in honor of Washington's Birthday, and made an address at Pocahontas to-night under the auspices of the Masonic lodge of that city. Pocahontas seems to have been the only town in the county which observed Washington's birth.

A brilliant reception was given Mr. and Mrs. G. N. St. Clair, who returned to-day from their bridal tour at the home of Hon. Aiex. St. Clair to-night. A large number of their special friends and relatives were present.

FELT EARTHQUAKE.

Suffolk Citizens Quite Sure of a Seismic Disturbance.

Scismic Disturbance,
SUFFOLK, VA., February 22.—According to Dr. Holland, a dontist, and
Mr. Eugene Hurley, a well known
nainter, there was an earthquake
shock last night. They said that the
shock caused the building to tremble,
the lights to shake, and office fixtures
to be disledged. When it was all ever
not much damage had been done, but
both Dr. Holland and Mr. Hufley felt
somewhat frightened.

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COMPULSORY SCHOOL BILL

All Children Between Eight and Fourteen Must Attend Sixteen Weeks Each Year.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

RALEBIGH, N. C., February 22.—The Senate this afternoon passed the committee substitute bill for a railroad passenger rate bill of 2 1-2 cents first and 2 cents second-class. This to apply to roads earning \$1,500 per mile and more.

The House has passed a two-cent flat The House has passed a two-cent fla rate bill, so that a joint conference committee will be appointed to-morrow to adjust the differences beween the two branches and reach a compromise basifor rates.

The House passed a compulsory school

for rates.

The House passed a compulsory school bill to require children eight to fourteen years old to attend school sixteen weeks, the bill to apply only to countes in which it is adopted. Another bill by the House provides for the incorporation of the Stonewall Jackson Manual Training and Industrial School. This is a compromise measure looking to the provision of a measure looking to the provision of a measure looking to the provision of a reformatory for this State.

IMPROVE SCHOOLS.

Granville County Votes Special

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Tax for This Purpose.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

RALEIGH, N. C. February 22.—State
Superintendent of Public Instruction J.
Y. Joyner has received a letter from
Superintendent Kittroll, of the Granville
county schools, to the effect that Washington district, near Stem, has just
voted unanimously a special tax for the
Improvement of schools. An election
will be held at Hester February 23d. A
new local tax district is also voted for
Wilkes county.

Charters were issued this morning
for the Waynesville Book Company,
capital \$10,000, by P. C. Lindsay and
others, and the Charlotte Stock and
Bond Company, capital \$20,000, by
Alexander Stephens, S. H. Ames and
others.

Adjutant-General T. R. Robertson, of

Alexander Stephons, S. H. Ames and others.
Adjutant-General T. R. Robertson, of the North Carolina National Guard, issued a commission to J. Van B. Metts, of Wilmington, this morning as licutentaries is in compilance with an official notice of the election of Mr. Metts to this office of the election of Mr. Metts to this office to succeed Colonel T. C. James, resigned, the election having been held February 14th at Wilson.

PARDONS COBLE.

Governor Glenn Finds Man Guilty Only of Trespass.

Only of Trespass,

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

RALEIGH, N. C., February 22—Governor Glenn has granted a gradou to Julius Coble, who is series fifteen years sentence in the pentientiary for burglary. He was sentenced in January, 1905, and the pardon is recommended by Judge Shaw and Solicitor Brooks. Evidence has developed that would indicate no offense greater than trespass. The pardon is conditioned on good behavior.

Commissions are issued by Adjutant-General T. R. Rebertson, of the North Carolina National Guard, to W. W. Pairan of Clinton, as assistant assume.

ter, with rank of major; Dr. Andrew H. Harriss, Wilmington, assistant surgeon, with rank of captain; Dr. A. D. Parrott, Kinston, assistant surgeon, with rank of first licutenant; Dr. J. Lowis Franc, Winston, assistant surgeon, with rank of first licutenant; Dr. Duvall Jones, New Berne, surgeon of naval militia, with rank of licutenant-commander.

NEGRO'S CONTRIBUTION.

Has Made Only Distinct Contri-

bution to Southern Literature.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
CHAPEL HILL, N. C., February 22.— John Charles McNell, author of "Songs Merry and Sad," lectured before the Modern Literature Club of the University in the half of the Philanthropic Literary Society Inst night. Mr. Mc-Interary society hist night. Air. Mc-Neil's talk was not in the form of a formal lecture. Instead he gave the "Negro's Calendar," reciting selections from his verso illustrative of the life of the negro from January to December, and portraying his philosophy and superstition.

stition.

Throughout Mr. McNeil treated the negro in lighter vein, for the most part. Speaking seriously, however, ho said that whatever may be said against the negro, people have this to thank him for: he has given the only distinct contribution of the South to the literature of the world. of the world.

CLUB COMRADE FATALLY.

Two Negroes Pounce on One.

Two Negroes Pounce on One,
Beating Him to Death.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

RALEIGH, N. C., February 22.—A
special from Nicanor, N. C., to the News
and Observer, says that at a logging
camp at that place yesterday two
negroes beat out the brains of a comrade with clubs. After the deed was
done they fled, passing near a wrecking crew on the Norfolk and Southern
Railroad, where they were arrested.
One of the negroes started to run, but
an officer shot him in the leg and stopped his flight.

The negroes were taken to Hertford
to-day, and after examination were
committed to jail without bail. The
names of the parties have not been
learned. The motive for the crime is
not clear. It is stated that the murderers were sober.

To Prison for Four Years. [Special to The Timer-Dispatch.]
WINSTON-SALISM, N. C., February
22.—In Forsythe Superior Court this
afternoon, Judge Ferguson sentenced
John Gordon to the State prison for
a term of four years, Gordon was convicted Wednesday of murder in the
second degree, for shooting and killing Gilt Brandham in North Winston
Christmas Eve night.

WORKMEN PROTEST.

Navy Yard Employes Will Send

Navy Yard Employes Will Send
Delegation to Washington.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
NORFOLK, VA., February 22.—The
Portsmouth Lodge, International Association of Machinists, determined at
a meeting to-day to send a delegation
to Washington to protest against the
refusal of the Navy Department to
board for an increase in the wages
grant the recommendations of the wage
of the machinists employed at the Norfolk Navy Yard. Portsmouth Lodge
has a membership of several hundred,
almost all employed in the Navy Yard.
They think the men in the yard should
receive as much money for a day's
work as do men employed outside.

READ THE LETTER FROM MECKLENBURG IN TO-DAY'S PAPER

Cowpeas

The increasing demand for al The Increasing demand for all kinds of Cowpeas with each season demonstrates the important value of this commodity to farmer. Practical experience in various sections shows their utility, and preference is given over commercial fertilizers because they are ecomonical and more satisfactory. In addition to this, their use as a forage crop is almost doubling itself with each year, until the demand has grown to be larger than the supply.

Soy Beans

The prolific growth of these Beans makes them very desirable seed for a forage crop, and their popularity is increasing every year. They are also valuable in mixing with Cowneas on account of their tall and atout growth, which serves to hold up the Cowneas white growing, and they are being largely used for this purpose.

During the past season the weather conditions were exceedingly unfavorable, and destroyed a large per cent. of the crop of both Cowneas and Soy Beans, but with our large facilities we have been enabled to secure a fairly goo!

our large accinites we have been enabled to secure a fairly good supply of both. We shall be glad to quote you prices on several va-rieties, and, when desired, furnish samples,

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